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**UTILITY
PATENT APPLICATION
TRANSMITTAL**

Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 1.53(b)

Attorney Docket No.	35532.0001
First Inventor	Glinboeckel
Title	Support Apparatus With Interchangeable...
Express Mail Label No.	EF380104328US

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

ADDRESS TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.
See CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages / 12]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive title of the invention
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets / 4 /]
5. ☒ Oath or Declaration [Total Pages / 2 /]
 - a. ☒ Newly executed (original or copy)
 - b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
 - i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table Computer Program (Appendix)
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
 - a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
 - b. ☐ Specification Sequence Listing on:
 - i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
 - ii. ☐ paper
 - c. ☐ Statements verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☐ Information Disclosure ☐ Copies of IDS
Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations
13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
16. ☐ Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122
(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent
17. ☒ Other: Check for \$397.00

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☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of the prior application No: /

Prior application information: Examiner: Group/Art Unit:

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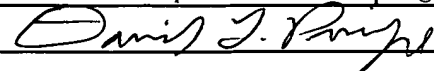
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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

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☐ Deposit Account:

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Deposit Account Name: Hodgson Russ LLP

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	340	201	370	Utility filing fee	\$370
106	330	206	165	Design filing fee	\$
107	510	207	255	Plant filing fee	\$
108	740	208	370	Reissue filing fee	\$
114	160	214	80	Provisional filing fee	\$
SUBTOTAL (1)					\$370

101 340 201 370 Utility filing fee \$370

106 330 206 165 Design filing fee \$

107 510 207 255 Plant filing fee \$

108 740 208 370 Reissue filing fee \$

114 160 214 80 Provisional filing fee \$

SUBTOTAL (1)

\$370

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY/ REISSUE

Extra Fee from

Claims below

Total Claims /23 / - 20** = /3 / x /9 / =

Independent Claims /3 / - 3** = /0 / x /42 / =

Multiple dependent / / x / / =

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103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20	
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3	
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent claim if not paid	
109	84	209	42	**Reissue independent claims over original patent	
110	18	210	9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	
SUBTOTAL (2)					\$27

103 18 203 9 Claims in excess of 20

102 84 202 42 Independent claims in excess of 3

104 280 204 140 Multiple dependent claim if not paid

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3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity

Small Entity

Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	\$
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	\$
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	\$
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	\$
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting Publication of SIR prior to Examiner Action	\$
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting Publication of SIR after Examiner Action	\$
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	\$
116	400	216	200	Extension for reply within second month	\$
117	920	217	460	Extension for reply within third month	\$
118	1,440	218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	\$
128	1,960	228	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	\$
119	320	219	160	Notice of Appeal	\$
120	320	220	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	\$
121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	\$
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	\$
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	\$
141	1,280	241	640	Petition to revive - unintentional	\$
142	1,280	242	640	10 advance copies Utility issue fee (or reissue)	\$
143	460	243	230	Design issue fee	\$
144	620	244	310	Plant issue fee	\$
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	\$
123	50	123	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	\$
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	\$
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	\$
146	740	246	370	Filing a submission after final rejection(37 CFR 1.129(a))	\$
149	740	249	370	For each add'l invention to be examined(37 CFR 1.129(b))	\$
179	740	279	370	Request For Continued Examination (RCE)	\$
169	900	169	900	Request for Expedited Examination of a design appln.	\$
Other fee (specify)					\$
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